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ILLINOIS

State

Cook (16)

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CHICAGO

Town or Vicinity


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Kimball, W.W., House (ILL-1077)

Structure

1801 S. Prairie Ave. Limestone ashlar, irregular rectangle, two-and-a-half stories on raised basement, steep chateausque roof with ornamental dormers, chimneys and cresting, French Renaissance details; modified central hall plan, elaborate interior plaster and woodwork; connecting carriage house at S. rear. Built 1890-92; Solon S. Beman, architect. Home of founder of Kimball Piano Company, one of few remaining mansions of

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Chicago's "Gold Coast". 3 ext. photos (1965); 5 data  
pages (1967); HABSI form (1960).

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